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PETITION TO CORRECT ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 CFR 1.183 AND REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION **UNDER 37 CFR 1.323**

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the name of the Assignee associated with U.S. Patent No. 6,866,700 be corrected due to an error which occurred during payment of the issue fee. The application which matured into U.S. Patent No. 6,866,700 was duly assigned to Home Health Medical Equipment Incorporated d/b/a AG Industries located at 239 Seebold Spur, Fenton, Missouri 63026 prior to issuance of the above-referenced patent on March 15, 2005. A photocopy of this Assignment document which was duly recorded on August 27, 2002 at Reel/Frame 013027/0260 is attached hereto along with the Notice of Recordation of the Assignment Document. Applicant's attorney, when paying the issue fee and forwarding the issue fee transmittal form inadvertently identified the incomplete name of the assignee (AG Industries)

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on the fee transmittal form. Applicant's attorney's failure to include the correct assignee (Home Health Medical Equipment Incorporated d/b/a AG Industries) at that time on the PTOL-85B form was inadvertent.

Applicant's attorney therefore respectfully requests that 37 CFR 3.81(a) be waived so as to permit the correct name of the assignee to be provided. Applicant's attorney is therefore respectfully requesting that the current assignee, Home Health Medical Equipment Incorporated d/b/a AG Industries, be identified in a Certificate of Correction under 37 CFR 1.323 to correct the assignee.

Applicant's attorney is enclosing herewith a Certificate of Correction accompanied by the appropriate fee set forth in Section 1.20(a) as well as the processing fee set forth in §1.17(i) correcting the assignee from AG Industries to Home Health Medical Equipment Incorporated d/b/a AG Industries.

Applicant's attorney is also requesting that the file for the above-referenced patent be forwarded to the Certificate of Correction Branch for issuance of the enclosed Certificate of Correction, if this Petition is granted.

If there are any questions regarding this Petition and Request for Issuance of A Certificate of Correction to Change Assignee under 37 CFR 1.323, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicant as soon as possible.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence regarding a Petition To Correct Assignee Under 37 CFR 1.183 and Request For Issuance Of Certificate Of Correction Under 37 CFR 1.323 for U.S. Patent No. 6,866,700 is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Petitions, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313, on April 7, 2005.